## **DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BILL ANALYSIS**

AMENDMENT DATE: May 5, 2010 BILL NUMBER: AB 1715
POSITION: Support AUTHOR: K. De Leon

## **BILL SUMMARY: State Claims**

This bill, an urgency measure, would appropriate funds and authorize the transfer of funds to the Executive Officer of the California Victims Compensation and Government Claims Board (Board) for the payment of equity claims, as specified.

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

This bill would appropriate \$998,377 from various funds to pay equity claims as follows:

- \$963,914 from the General Fund to pay specified equity claims that cannot be charged to operating budgets of various state departments.
- \$6,807 from General Fund appropriated for the operation of specified departments in the Budget Act of 2010.
- \$27,655 from various special funds appropriated for the operation of specified departments in the Budget Act of 2010.

## **COMMENTS**

This bill, an administration-sponsored bill, would establish appropriation authority necessary to pay equity claims approved by the Board.

Existing law requires the Board to obtain legislative approval to pay of claims for which no legally available appropriation authority exists. This bill would also authorize the State Controller to transfer to the Board's Budget Act appropriation, surcharges from items of appropriation identified in this bill. This surcharge allows the Board to recover its administrative costs associated with administering the Government Claims Programs.

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|-------------------|----|------|----|--------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Code/Department   | LA |      |    | (Dollars     | in Thousands)       |                |
| Agency or Revenue | CO | PROP |    |              |                     | Fund           |
| Type              | RV | 98   | FC | 2009-2010 FC | 2010-2011 FC        | 2011-2012 Code |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$971               | 0001           |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$15                | 0042           |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$8                 | 0044           |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$1                 | 0185           |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$1                 | 0822           |
| 9670/Eqty Claims  | SO | No   |    | A            | \$3                 | 0912           |
| Fund Code Title   |    |      |    |              |                     |                |

| Fund Code | <u>litle</u>                           |
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| 0001      | General Fund                           |
| 0042      | Highway Account, State, STF            |
| 0044      | Motor Vehicle Account, STF             |
| 0185      | Employment Development Contingent Fund |
| 0822      | Public Employees' Health Care Fund     |
| 0912      | Health Care Deposit Fund               |